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A7	1,490,657	04/15/24	Botella			
A8	1,990,757	02/12/35	Stiles	296	28	
A9	2,327,410	08/24/43	Ferguson	211	13	
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B4	FR608,961	08/26	France				✓
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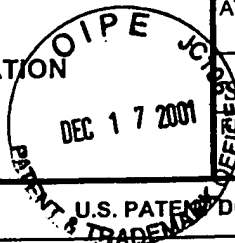
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	A16	2,662,793	12/15/53	Lindsay	296	28	
	A17	2,722,352	11/01/55	Dehnel	224	42.42	
	A18	2,722,913	12/04/56	Holan et al.	296	28	
	A19	2,812,097	11/05/57	Legge	220	18	
	A20	2,893,727	07/07/59	Barnard			
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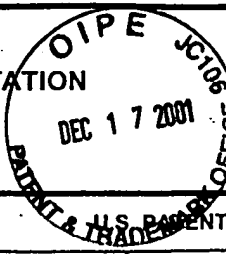

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A27	3,034,823	05/15/62	Himka et al.	296	28	
A28	3,068,038	12/11/62	Douglass, Jr.	296	24	
A29	3,082,033	03/19/63	Bosher	296	26	
A30	3,085,826	04/16/63	Carreau	296	37	
A31	3,245,713	04/12/66	Ogilvie	296	24	
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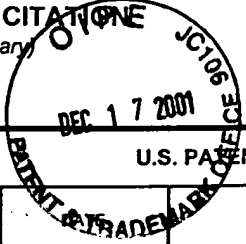
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A38	3,727,971	04/17/73	Sisler	296	37	
A39	3,768,858	10/30/73	Boismier	296	137	
A40	3,799,605	03/26/74	Silva	296	23	
A41	3,806,184	04/23/74	Dean	296	35	
A42	3,826,529	07/30/74	Wood	296	37	
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A48	4,135,761	01/23/79	Ward	296	37.6	
A49	4,138,046	02/06/79	De Freze	224	42.42	
A50	4,151,925	05/01/79	Glassmeyer	220	1.5	
A51	4,216,990	08/12/80	Musgrove et al.	296	213	
A52	4,353,111	10/05/82	Gallitzendorfer et al.	362	80	
A53	4,355,837	10/26/82	Shimizu et al.	296	37.12	
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A58	4,438,964	03/27/84	Peters	292	216	
A59	4,469,364	09/04/84	Rafi-Zadeh	296	37.6	
A60	4,570,986	02/18/86	Sams	293	117	
A61	4,632,446	12/30/86	Douglass	296	37.6	
A62	4,643,314	02/17/87	Kidd	206	600	
A63	4,685,695	08/11/87	LeVee	280	423	
A64	4,705,317	11/10/87	Henri	296	37.6	
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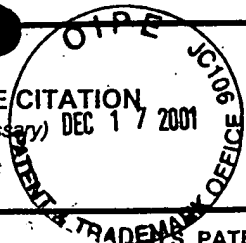

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A70	4,776,481	10/11/88	Kidd	220	22	
A71	4,789,195	12/06/88	Fletcher	296	37.6	
A72	4,805,347	02/21/89	Smith	49	477	
A73	4,823,923	04/25/89	Moyer	188	376	
A74	4,830,242	05/16/89	Painter	224	42.32	
A75	4,861,096	08/29/89	Hastings	296	183	
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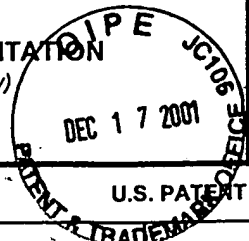
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A81	4,971,092	11/20/90	Parry et al.	137	351	
A82	4,981,320	01/01/91	Bowman	296	57.1	
A83	4,998,758	03/12/91	Kowalczyk et al.	292	201	
A84	5,048,888	09/17/91	Willy et al.	296	189	
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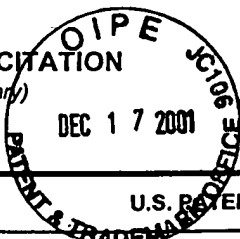
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	A108	5,390,974	02/21/95	Theodorakakos	296	146.9
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